

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Applicants: Jaak Van den Sype and Scot Eric Jaynes

Serial No.: 09/727,473 Group Art Unit: 1742

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For: Process and Apparatus for High Pressure Gas Quenching in an Atmospheric Furnace

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated June 19, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-7. The item checked below is appropriate:

1. ☒ Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated June 19, 2002 for three (3) months from September 19, 2002 to December 19, 2002.
2. ☐ A month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated was filed on with payment of a \$ fee.
☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an additional month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.
3. ☐ A Request for Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is being filed concurrently herewith.

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4. Fees are submitted for the following:

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	Fee for Extension ([] mo.)	\$	
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	TOTAL	\$	1240

5. The method of payment for the total fees is as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1240.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$[].

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Respectfully submitted,

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